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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

On February 10, 2009 U.S. Patent Application No. 11/844,431 (the '431 application) was allowed without requiring a terminal disclaimer over the subject application. On July 24, 2008 the '431 application was provisionally rejected for alleged obviousness type double patenting over the subject application. In later withdrawing that rejection the Office stated, "The double patenting rejection of claims 2 and 3, outlined in the previous Office Action, is withdrawn. The rejection is untenable." (November 24, 2008 Office Action in the '431 application, page 2).

It is believed that no fee is required in connection with the filing of this Statement. If any

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fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1677.

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